

# THE STATE OF TEXAS



## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

### Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Frank J. Burke

is a Special Ranger in ~~Company~~ The Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrent of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31st, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to Act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name	<u>Frank J. Burke</u>	Rank	<u>Special Ranger</u>
Age	<u>31 years 8 months</u>	Where born	<u>Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania</u>
Height	<u>5 feet 10 inches</u>	Occupation	<u>Accountant</u>
Weight	<u>160 lbs.</u>	Residence	<u>Houston, Texas</u>
Hair	<u>Light</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin, Texas</u>
Eyes	<u>Blue</u>	Enlisted When	<u>June 6, 1934</u>
Complexion	<u>Fair</u>	Enlisted by Whom	<u>Henry Hutchings</u> <u>The Adjutant General</u>

This warrant of authority is void after June 5, 1935  
and must be returned to this Department for Cancellation.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 6

day of June 1934

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry Hutchings".

The Adjutant General.

Attest:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R. W. Adrich".

Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company \_\_\_\_\_ Ranger Force, Station \_\_\_\_\_

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of HARRIS

I, Frank J. Burke., born in Pittsburgh  
in the State of Pa, aged 31 years and 8 months, and by occupation a  
Accountant do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
June, 1934, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two  
years, unless sooner discharged by proper authority, without compensation. And I do solemnly swear  
that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer  
of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws  
of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the  
Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State have not fought a duel with deadly weapons,  
nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offend-  
ing. And I furthermore answer that I have not, directly or indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay,  
contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or  
employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Frank J. Burke  
Notary Public

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of JUNE, A. D. 193 4.

Notary Public, Harris County, Texas

Fill in description below.

I certify that Frank J. Burke, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me  
previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to  
and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 31  
years 8 months of age. Height 5 feet 10 inches. Complexion Fair Eyes blue  
Hair light Born at Pittsburgh County of Allegheny State of Pennsylvania  
Weight 160 Residence 1601 West Dallas St. Houston, Tex  
Occupation Accountant Married or single Previous service No

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

Chief Dan W. Jackson  
Asst. Comm. Capt. A. T. Hester  
Leon G. Harrison, Rep.

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
SPECIAL

OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE

Name Frank J. Burke ✓  
Rank Special Ranger  
Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force  
Station Houston Texas

enlisted June 6 1934  
Discharged January 22, 1935